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SACRAMENTO MEETING: - A regional meeting will be held on Sunday, September 12, at the home of Ron and Anita Lerch, located at 2901 Land Park Dr., Sacramento, Cal. As usual, the meeting will get underway starting about noon, and will run up to 5 PM. It has been a while since we have met at Ron's, and he should have interesting material to show us. There will be a lot of tokens for sale and trade including some new material from the "Great Hoard" which has enriched so many of our collections. Land Park is a major street, and you should have no problems in finding your way, but if you do, call Ron at 916-447-0753.

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OAKLAND MEETING: - Token collectors of all persuasions are invited to attend a meeting of the Bay Area Token Society (BATS) on Sunday, September 19. While most of those involved with BATS collect transportation tokens as a primary interest, most of the BATS people are also members of CANTS and collect other types of tokens. The meeting is at the home of Hal and Louise Ford, 6641 Saroni Dr., Oakland, Cal.; the usual hours of noon to 5 PM will prevail. Reaching the Ford residence may require a look at the map, but as starters it is located in the general vicinity of Warren Freeway and Park Blvd. For more help, the Ford's telephone number is 415-339-0254.

STOCKTON MEETING: - The fall semi-annual meeting of CANTS will again be held in conjunction with the coin show of the Delta Coin Club in Stockton, Cal. For the past few years, this show has been held on the second weekend in November. Information has not yet been received as to the exact dates of the show for this year, but if the usual dates apply, then we should have our meeting on Saturday, November 13. This is indefinite, however, and exact information will be given in the next issue. However, that will be just before the meeting.

JULY MEETING: - The annual July meeting in Los Altos was attended by a large group of collectors and family members. The combined CANTS-BATS meeting was held on Sunday, July 11, at the Feisel's. Other CANTS members there included Ron Lerch, John Nicolosi, Dale Noll, John Reynolds, Jerry Schimmel, Steve Album, Chuck Nichols, Clark Cooney, Henry Kile and Hal Dunn; in addition, a number of BATS members were there. Judging from the way the food and drink disappeared, and the lateness of breaking up of the gathering, I have the impression that people enjoyed the meeting.

- DHF

19 AUGUST 1976 - Things are a bit hectic around here, as I am trying to get ready to depart for New York tomorrow afternoon. Lots of things must still be arranged, and many details remain for my attention. The ANA ought to be an interesting show this year, not especially for tokens, though a few goodies will unlikely surface. After the ANA, I will spend two weeks up in Iola, Wisconsin, working on the Standard Catalog of World Coins, the 4th edition of which is due out sometime next year.

DEARTH OF MATERIAL - If any of you have felt the urge to complain about the lack of interesting token articles in the past couple of issues of the Ledger, you would find my ears very sympathetic. But in order to remedy that shortcoming, we need contributions from the membership. This is really important, for the Ledger is the lifeblood of our organization, and without a constant input of longer articles and shorter notices, it will shrink into oblivion. If that happens, the organization will surely come upon harder times. If every member would submit a long or short article once every two years, we would have enough material to fill each issue and more, and I really do not feel that that is asking too much of you. Although articles pertaining to California and Nevada will be given first priority, with the expansion of our range, articles on any Western state will be gladly accepted. Right now, I'd print an article on the tokens of Lower Slobovia, for our files are absolutely empty. Short articles can be just as important as in-depth ones, and they are easier to write. Rubbings can easily be worked in as illustrations, and if enough demand arises, so can photos. But please get something in, and get it in soon; we need some material for the October issue, which I should be getting together just after the 15th of that month.

Articles may be typed or handwritten, so long as I can read the words. Don't worry about spelling or grammatical errors, as I can readily correct those when I prepare final copy. Just scribble it down, and post it off to me ASAP.

WESTERN TOKEN MANUFACTURERS - We know there were local token makers in Portland, Seattle, Salt Lake City, Denver, and elsewhere in the West. How about some articles on the history and identification of these makers?

THE END OF THE JAMBOREE - At the July meeting of CANTS and BATS at his home, Duane Feisel announced that the Jamboree will no longer be held. Increased costs and lack of dealer and visitor support are the reasons, as well as the unsuitability of San Jose as a location. One way, perhaps, to resurrect the idea is to promote the long-anticipated prospect of a TAMS sponsored ex-numia show once a year. A few letters to some of the TAMS people, which include a number of our members, might help. Another, perhaps more likely path of action is to support the efforts of member Paul Koppenhaver to get something going in conjunction with the massive Long Beach Coin & Stamp Exposition.



INTERIM REPORT ON THE CANTS BICENTENNIAL PROJECT - Although we failed to receive ARBCC Sponsorship for our cataloguing efforts (that means money), we do have their official endorsement, which enables us to use the official California logo, and gives us some otherwise unavailable status.

The last of the questionnaires to local Bicentennial commissions are being mailed this week by member Dan Jacobson, who has offered to perform the miserable task of folding, stuffing, stamping, and mailing. Response to the first couple of batches has been spotty, though it is probable that most of those cities and counties which have struck medals will have responded.

So far, I have on file about 40 "official" medals and about 25 more privately issued pieces, as well as a number of tokens, including over 125 struck in the Patrick Mint series. I am predicting we shall log about 100 different medals in all, perhaps 125, which is not very far from what I expected from the beginning. In the next Ledger, I will publish a brief list of those authorities, public and private, which have produced medals that bear a Bicentennial theme. If any of you know of any others, I would appreciate learning about them. In the meanwhile, if anyone hears of a bicentennial medal, let me know; even if it duplicates what I already know, I will be happy to have the information. One way to learn about them is to telephone all the local Chambers of Commerce (listed in the white pages) that are local calls, and just ask them if their city is producing a medal. They will usually know, and can tell you where further information can be had.

MISSISSIPPI TOKEN LISTINGS: - CANTS member George P. Chatham (#160) writes to inform us that he is working on a listing of MS tokens, and would appreciate hearing from members having tokens from this state. George collects MS trade tokens, MS scrip and broken bank notes, and pontiled MS bottles. - DHF

SECRETARY-TREASURER'S REPORT: - Because of the press of other matters, Hal Dunn has not been able to prepare the usual complete and informative report to which we have become accustomed. For the next issue, Hal will have a combined report for us. He has told me over the telephone that we gained two new members. I know one of these is Chuck Nichols of Livermore, because I signed him up at the July meeting in Los Altos. It is appropriate, perhaps, that Chuck becomes member #200 during the bicentennial year, and so close to July 4th! - DHF

COVER ART: - Even those of you with sharp eyes must have had trouble with the rubbing of the Highgrove token appearing on the cover of last issue. Needless to say, it did not reproduce well--it was rubbed in red pencil, while the other rubbings were made with a blue pencil. Anyhow, that rubbing is repeated this time along with some other interesting items. - DHF

## SLOT MACHINES ARE LEGAL AGAIN IN CALIFORNIA!

Some Modern Slot Tokens,      by Stephen Album

Of course, there is a catch. The new-fangled cleaned-up slot machines are designed to be played by both adults and children alike, and they pay off every time. What they are, in effect, is a coin-operated vending machine that dispenses a souvenir token, usually at a cost of 25¢. They are actually converted old-time slot machines, into which you thrust a quarter, pull the one-arm lever, watch the spinning wheels come to rest, and remove your souvenir token from the cup at the bottom. These are currently being marketed by an outfit in Minnesota, which also supplies the tokens. The present tokens are usually made of white metal (non-magnetic), occasionally of a magnesium alloy. Most have reeded edge. They have various reverses, most promising GOOD LUCK or indicating that they are SOUVENIRS; some have a Bicentennial theme reverse. The obverse contains either some advertising, or if the issuing outfit is a chamber of commerce or the like, some sort of plug for the area. They are designed as cheap tourist souvenirs.

Some of the machines have been in use for several years, and the tokens have been reordered, in some cases, many times over. The result is that varieties abound for some of the issues (I have already found five different Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk tokens), some made in white-metal, some in magnesium alloy, some in brass, and some in aluminum, plain or anodized.

Here is a list of the ones I have so far observed from California. I have made no attempt to indicate how many different kinds there are, or how many metals, or what they are inscribed with. This is just a rough checklist. I collect these myself, and am always interested in adding new varieties as well as new pieces.

Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk	Santa Cruz CA
Golden Eagle Bazaar	Yountville CA
Palace Arcade	Big Bear Lake CA
The Bonanza Inn	Yuba City CA
The Paul Bunyan	Porterville CA
Knott's Berry Farm	Buena Park CA
Marshal Scotty's Playland & Park	El Cajon CA
Ripley's Believe-It-Or-Not Museum	San Francisco CA
The Museum of Witchcraft	San Francisco CA
Sea Captain's Chest	San Francisco CA
Frontier Village	San Jose CA
Magic Mountain	Valencia CA
Calico Ghost Town	Yermo CA
Redondo Beach	Redondo Beach CA

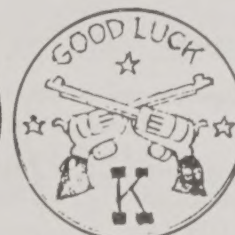
Some representative rubbings are shown on the opposite page.

There are also many dozens of varieties I have seen from every part of the US, mostly from tourist areas.



I am sure there are many others I have not yet found. The maker of the tokens is not known, but from the work, I suspect that they are made abroad. The quality is generally good, and I doubt they could be supplied domestically at so cheap a price that they can be retailed at a quarter a shot.

(Note: Sam's Town, Cameron Park, Cal., also has one of these pieces dispensed from a slot machine. DHF)



Reverse  
as Yermo



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as Yermo

CHECKLIST OF CALIFORNIA MEDALS: 1970 ISSUES

Stephen Album

For symbols and method of listing, please refer to the 1974 listing in CNTL, October 1975, pp. 51-55.

1970-1\*. ANAHEIM - Anaheim Lodge #207 F. & A.M. Centennial Installation. Masonic symbols on reverse. (35 mm)

GB - means of distribution unknown

Struck by Meyer & Wenthe, Chicago IL.

1970-2\*. BERKELEY - United California Bank Berkeley Office opening. Arms of bank. (38 mm)

BZ - given away on opening day

Struck by Anillo Industries, Orange CA

1970-3\*. BRAWLEY - Brawley Cattle Call & Rodeo. Shows a bucking bronco. (34 mm)

BZ - issue details unknown

1970-4\*. CLAREMONT - Pilgrim Place Festival. Shows the Mayflower on reverse, map of its route from Europe to America on obverse. (39 mm)

BZ - sold at \$1.50 (1000)

SI - sold at \$10.00 (100)

Masterpiece Medallions, Claremont CA

1970-5\*. CORONA - United California Bank Corona Office opening (38 mm., date of issue not shown)

BZ - given away on opening day

Anillo Industries, Orange CA

1970-6\*. DOWNEY - Downey Rio Hondo Country Club Golf Course dedication (9-16 October). Shows Downey city seal and a map of the golf course. (37 mm)

NS - issue details unknown

1970-7\*. FULLERTON - Cal-State Fullerton Inaugural season (football). Features bust of Dick Coury, first Fullerton coach. (38 mm)

BZ - issue details unknown

Anillo Industries, Orange CA

1970-8\*. HAWTHORNE - 7th Annual Hawthorne Coin Exposition (23-25 October). Features view of Hawthorne's city hall, and space scene showing Apollo orbiter. (39 mm)

BZ - believed sold for 50¢ or \$1 at show

K - issue details unknown

OBZ - (")

OK - (")

L - (")

SI - (")

Struck by Masterpiece Medallions, Claremont CA

1970-9\*. LAWDALE - Lawndale City Hall dedication (17 January). View of the building, and seal of the city. (39 mm) Comes in two varieties, probably due to one die breaking; var. I



(9a) has a small L to left of city hall, var. II (9b) has a small D instead of the L in the same position.

GB (var.I) - issue details of all these pieces unknown  
BZ (var.I)  
BZ (var.II)  
K (var.II)  
OBZ (var.II)  
OK (var.II)  
SI (var.II)

Masterpiece Medallions, Claremont CA

1970-10\*. LONG BEACH - Queen Mary medal (undated but struck in 1970). Features a view of the ship. (39 mm)

OBZ - issue details unknown

ONS - (")

Struck by Medallic Art Co., Danbury CT.

Said still to be available on the Ship.

1970-11\*. LOS ANGELES - United California Bank West Olympic Boulevard Office opening. Shows arms of bank. (38 mm)

BZ - given away at bank opening

Anillo Industries, Anillo CA

1970-12\*. LOS ANGELES - Numismatic Association of Southern California 15th Annual Convention. Features a view of the Angels Flight funicular railway. (19-22 February) (38 mm.)

B - issue details unknown (brass or yellow bronze)

K - (")

SI - (")

1970-13\*. LOS ANGELES - California State Numismatic Association 47th Semi-Annual Convention (30 October-1 November). Features map of the Western Hemisphere as on PPIE official medal. (39 mm)

BZ - given with 50¢ admission fee

OBZ - sold in PNC

SI - sold, price unknown

K - issue details unknown, probably trial strike

Masterpiece Medallions, Claremont CA

1970-14\*. LOS ANGELES - 7th Annual Convention Of International Numismatics (19-21 June). Features Los Angeles International Airport terminal building. (39 mm)

NS - issue details unknown

K - (")

SI - (") (silver medal not seen, but reported)

1970-15\*. LOS ANGELES - Organization of International Numismatics 3rd Anniversary. View of same airport terminal as no. 14. (38 mm)

BZ - issue details unknown

SI - (")

Struck by the Franklin Mint, Franklin PA

1970-16\* LOS ANGELES - Johnny Walker Red 1970 Los Angeles Rams Football schedule. (39 mm)

A - given as a promotional item by retail liquor stores

- BZ - used for presentation only  
Franklin Mint, Franklin PA
- 1970-17\*. LOS ANGELES - Roosevelt High School reunion, classes of 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931.  
BZ - means of distribution unknown  
Anillo Industries, Orange CA
- 1970-18\*. MADERA - United California Bank Madera Office opening.  
BZ - given away on opening day.  
Anillo Industries, Orange CA
- 1970-19\*. - MONTEREY - Old Monterey Bicentennial. Features a view of the facade of the old mission at Carmel, and a composite portrait representing different ethnic groups in early California. (39 mm)  
BZ - issue details unknown  
SI (edge-numbered) - ("")  
(also produced in small module with loop attached for suspension)  
Medallic Art Co., Danbury CT
- 1970-20\*. - MORRO BAY - Morro Bay Centennial \$1 Token. View of Morro Rock, very crudely executed. (34 mm)  
Cast PM - issue details unknown
- 1970-21\*. - NAPA - United California Bank Napa Office opening. (38 mm)  
BZ - given away on opening day  
Anillo Industries, Orange CA
- 1970-22\*. OAKDALE - United California Bank Oakdale Office opening (26 January). (38 mm)  
BZ - given away on opening day  
Anillo Industries, Orange CA
- 1970-23\*. - OAKLAND - Johnny Walker Red 1970 Oakland Raiders Football schedule. (39 mm)  
A - given away by retail liquor dealers as a promotional  
Franklin Mint, Franklin PA
- 1970-24\*. OCOTILLO WELLS - souvenir medal, featuring the ocotillo plant. (39 mm)  
BZ - sold by the Ocotillo Wells Homeowners' Association for \$1 each
- 1970-25\*. ORANGE - Anillo Industries Happy New Year token, showing Apollo landing scene. (38 mm)  
Ax - given away by issuer  
BZ - ("")  
Anillo Industries, Orange CA
- 1970-26\*. OROVILLE - United California Bank Oroville Bank opening. (38 mm)  
BZ - given away on opening day  
A - trial strike???  
Anillo Industries, Orange CA
- 1970-27\*. PLACERVILLE - Wagon Train Days (10-16 August). Shows a covered wagon and a noose. (36 mm)  
BZ - sold locally at \$1.50, still available at the Grayhound Depot in Placerville



- 1970-28\*. PORTERVILLE - United California Bank Porterville Office opening. (38 mm)  
 BZ - given away on opening day  
 Anillo Industries, Orange CA
- 1970-29\*. RAMONA - Ramona Centennial. Features view of Ramona Town Hall, and a mountain scene. (38 mm)  
 OBZ - sold for \$2 (?)  
 OSI - sold for \$12.50 (?) (edge-numbered)
- 1970-30\*. REDONDO BEACH - United California Bank Redondo Beach Office opening (20 April). (38 mm)  
 BZ - given away on opening day  
 Anillo Industries, Orange CA
- 1970-31\*. RIVERSIDE - Riverside Centennial. (34 mm)  
 NS - sold for \$1  
 SI (edge-numbered) - sold for \$10
- 1970-32\*. SACRAMENTO - California State Numismatic Association 46th Semi-Annual Convention (24-26 April). Features view of the State Capitol. (39 mm)  
 BZ - given with 50¢ admission  
 K - sold in PNC  
 SI (edge-numbered) - sold to public, price not known  
 Masterpiece Medallions, Claremont CA
- 1970-33\*. SACRAMENTO - 75th Anniversary of First Long Distance Transmission of 3-Phase Electricity. Features jugate heads of A. Gallatin and H.P. Livermore. (45 mm)  
 OSP (boxed) - issue details unknown  
 Believed made in England.
- 1970-34\*. SAN BRUNO - Inauguration of Pan-Am's 747 service. (40 mm)  
 OBZ - sold for \$1.50 by Chamber of Commerce  
 SI - issue details unknown (reported, not seen)  
 Van Brook Mint, Lexington KY
- 1970-35\*. SAN DIEGO - Johnny Walker Red San Diego Chargers 1970 football schedule. (39 mm)  
 A - given by liquor dealers as a promotional item  
 Franklin Mint, Franklin PA
- 1970-36\*. SAN FRANCISCO - Johnny Walker Red San Francisco 49'ers 1970 football schedule. (39 mm)  
 A - given by liquor dealers as a promotional item  
 Franklin Mint, Franklin PA
- 1970-37\*. SAN FRANCISCO - 1970 BART medal, showing view of a BART train. (38 mm)  
 Made from section of aluminum on steel contact rail, partly blue-enameled (uniface) - issue details unknown
- 1970-38\*. SAN JOSE - San Jose Coin Club 2nd Annual Coin Show (1 February). (34 mm)  
 OBZ - given with purchase of raffle ticket  
 SI - given with purchase of larger number of tickets.  
 Wendell's, Minneapolis MN

- 1970-40\*. SANTA ANA - Grant Clark for 4th District Supervisor (Orange County), in June 1970 election, campaign token. Head of Clark. (38 mm)  
BZ - given away on opening day  
Anillo Industries, Orange CA
- 1970-41\*. SANTA CRUZ - Santa Cruz Coin Club 8th Annual Coin Show (8 November). View of Lighthouse Point. (34 mm)  
OBZ - given with purchase of raffle ticket  
SI - believed sold to members only at \$7.50  
Wendell's, Minneapolis MN
- 1970-42\*. SIMI - United California Bank Simi Valley office opening. (38 mm) (27 February)  
BZ - given away on opening day  
Anillo Industries, Orange CA
- 1970-43\*. TAFT - Taft 60th Anniversary, and California 201st Anniversary, and Taft Oildorado Days. Shows a grizzly bear (copied from official CA bicentennial medal) & oil derrick (39 mm)  
OBZ - issue details unknown  
SI - (")  
medals appear to be cast, but of high quality
- 1970-44. VALLEJO - U.S.S. Drum launching. Shows a view of the ship. (29 mm)  
B - given to participants at christening ceremony (1000?)  
Believed to have been manufactured locally at Mare Island Naval Shipyard.
- 1970-45\*. WHITTIER - Whittier Coin Club 11th Anniversary. Tenth anniversary medal counterstamped 11TH YEAR 1970. (38 mm)  
BZ - 25 produced, sold only to club members  
Original medal struck by Anillo Industries, Orange CA.
- 1970-46\*. WILMINGTON - United California Bank Wilmington Office opening. (23 March) (38 mm)  
BZ - given away on opening day  
Anillo Industries, Orange CA

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= MODERN INDIAN TRADER TOKENS =

Member Dave Barde has supplied the following information of interest to us:

Torreon Trading Post, who are Navajo indian traders, are presently using two tokens in their business. One in brass states: TORREON TRADING POST / CUBA, N. MEX. / INDIAN TRADERS / TANNER // Good For \$200 In Trade With A \$1000 Purchase. The second is a Patrick Mint piece with the Indian Head Bicentennial reverse: TORREON TRADING POST / CUBA, N.M. 87013 / GOOD FOR \$200 IN TRADE.



A third token exists in large yellow plastic: TORREON SUPER MART / 50¢ // ("happy face"). This token had limited use during the first part of 1975, but is no longer being issued.

Mr. Tanner has agreed to sell a "limited number" of each to interested collectors at face value plus a stamped self-addressed envelope. Therefore, one of each of the three would cost \$4.50, plus the SASE. Write to Mr. J. Tanner, Torreon Trading Post, Cuba, NM 87013.

Thanks for sharing this information with us Dave!

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PATRICK MINT TOKENS  
Third Installment

The following is a continuation of the list of Bicentennial tokens done by the Patrick Mint of San Francisco. All tokens on this list were made of red bronze save the Imperial Car Washes token of Denver CO, which was made of yellow bronze. Some of the tokens below are in Merchant Sets #4 and #5, now available at the usual price of \$9.75 each postpaid.

INDIAN HEAD REVERSE

Gumer Coin Co.	Louisville KY
Personalized First Day Covers	Lemon Grove CA
Lawrence Baum	Hastings MI
Ozark Mountain Music Makers	Salem AR
Virg Marshall III	Wymore NE
Aquarius Coins	Franklin MI
Fayetteville Coin & Stamp	Fayetteville AR
Arlington Stamp & Coin	Arlington MA
Arthur Tangora	Fort Lauderdale FL
East Coast Coin Co.	Eatontown NJ
Lorsid Specialties	Philadelphia PA
"Little Bighorn"	(Croton-on-Hudson NY)
Beringer Vineyards	St. Helena CA
Gene Harmon Sundries	Darlington IN
Montana Coin & Stamp	Billings MT
Gables Coin & Stamp	Coral Gables FL
Troy German Hall Association	(Troy NY)
M. Tiitus	Menlo Park CA
Bicentennial Festival	Huntington Beach CA
Happy 200th Birthday	Milwaukee WI
Thomas Vineyards	Cucamonga CA
Del Ford	Del City OK
The Penny Hustler	Bonita Springs FL
Tom Wall	Independence MO
Melvin Hays	Cincinnati OH
Bary Bender	Seattle WA
George Brooks	Newport News VA
Almanzar's	San Antonio TX
American Legion Post 853	Chicago IL
EPA Stamp Co.	Nanuet NY

H. "Ty" Phillips, Jr.	(Yorrovia CA 283)
Ed. Arner	W. Collins CA
Tri. Co.	Fredericksburg TX
Frank & John A. Co.	W. Fairbairn IA
W. J. & B. Co.	W. Co.
Don Adams Co.	W. Co.
The Worthy Coin Corp.	W. Co.
Butler's Reunion	(Long Beach CA)
Tony's Truck Wrecking (variety with area code) (Monrovia CA)	
French's Graham Rayner Associate	Denver Beach FL
George's Coins	W. Co.
J. M. Ahern	W. Co.
J. B. Hatch	W. Co.
Swiss Gallery	W. Co.
Caroline Coin & Stamp	W. Co.
H. P. O. Elks 786	W. Co.
Laddie Rich ('Animals in Miniature' 2 lines)	Covina CA
Lagniappe Fair	Chadwin LA
Colonial Coins, Inc.	Houston TX
W. & Ruth Swallow	Albuquerque NM
Torreon Trading Post	Cuba NM
Harry Urban ('buying' spelt GUYING)	Dallas TX
Carpenters Local 2026	Quincy MI
Brandywine Company	Wilmington DE
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Largo	New York NY
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= IDAHO BICENTENNIAL MEDAL =

A beautiful medal, struck in high relief by Medallion Art Company, is available through member Kendall Ballard, Route 1, Rexburg, ID 83440. On one side, the medal is worded UPPER SNAKE RIVER VALLEY / HISTORICAL SOCIETY and shows seven symbols including a train, a covered wagon, a tepee, a dam, etc. The other side has an outline map showing a number of counties in Idaho, along with the wording COUNTIES OF IDAHO SALUTE THE BICENTENNIAL and the usual dates 1776-1976.

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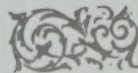
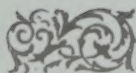
September 12--Regional CANTS meeting,  
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